

PEOPLE CAN BLAME ONLY THEMSELVES

Former Secretary of Interior Hitchcock Makes Blunt Address in Chicago.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS MUST NOT WEAR COLLARS

Emphasizes Fact That Our Public Land Laws Require Immediate Revision.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—At the banquet of the Commercial club tonight Ethen A. Hitchcock, former Secretary of the Interior, delivered an address covering the organization and work of the department of the Interior. He narrated in a general way all that had been accomplished by the department since its inception, covering his own administration. He detailed the problems which the department is compelled to meet from time to time, and said:

"If the laws are unjust and excessive, the answer has been, and still is, to amend or repeal them. If the people fail to exercise their rights and duties at the primaries, they can not complain if politicians, thinking only of their political debts, resort to methods to accomplish results which the patriot could either regard with contempt or indignantly expose."

"Just so long as Government officials wear the collar of those to whom they are indebted for their nomination and appointment, just so long will we have land frauds by perjury, illegal leasing of the public domain to the speculator, the grafter, the swindler, the speculative grafter, ready and eager to rob the nation's wards of their rightful inheritance."

WERE BLIZZARD RAGES EAST OF THE ROCKIES

DENVER, Dec. 14.—While the sun shined in Denver all day a blizzard was raging in eastern Colorado and western Kansas and Nebraska. The roads are having difficulty in moving trains and some of the lines have ordered trains to take sidings. A general cessation of traffic will occur east of Denver unless the big storm stops in the next few hours. Reports received by railroads in Denver said that the storm was moving in the direction of Denver. Snow plows were sent out by the railroads and much trouble is anticipated. The worst effects of the storm are being felt 100 miles east of this city.

HOW LONG HAVE YOU HAD IT?

Kidney disease may develop suddenly and become fatal in a few weeks, but this is rare. It usually appears with mild symptoms, although as the kidneys are not sensitive it may have been developing for months—even years. It is usually curable the first few weeks—in fact, it often gets well of itself. But if it has been long enough in the system to have become chronic (fastened) the books then declare it to be incurable. Right here is the crucial question: viz., how long have you had it? If it has been in the system for some months, there is only one thing known that will reach it and we have sent for it. It differs from all kidney treatments in this: it doesn't only change the chronic form, it is the only one that reduces inflammation and corrects the kidney function AFTER it has become chronic, as well as before. As there is no sharp dividing line marking the time when the trouble changes to the chronic form, it is as clear as noonday that thoughtful people with kidney disease should take at once the only known specific that reaches it in all stages?

The annual deaths are over 62,000—120 per day. These census figures show how appallingly serious and prevalent this thing is getting to be that is innocently referred to in the homes as "kidney trouble."

If you have kidney trouble start right. Call and let us tell you how chronic kidney disease has been brought under control.

F. J. HILL DRUG CO., 80 W. 2nd South.

AGREE TO ESTABLISH A PERMANENT COURT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The Central American Peace conference practically concluded its labor today, when it was announced that the delegates had agreed upon and were ready to sign seven treaties. The most important step toward the preservation of peace in Central America consisted in the agreement of the treaty establishing a permanent court. The other treaties will be:

One of extradition; one for the establishment of a Central American pedagogical institution, and for the establishment of an international Central American bureau similar to the Bureau of American Republics at Washington; a financial convention, a treaty for the establishment of better communication between the countries and a general treaty of peace and amity. On Friday the delegates will formally sign these treaties.

In the afternoon of the same day the conference will be dissolved and on Saturday night the delegates will give a dinner to the Secretary of State, the Cabinet and others.

THREATENED WITH DEATH FOR PROTECTING HEALTH

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.—Dr. C. H. Irons, president of the Louisiana State Board of Health, received an anonymous letter of threatening nature warning him against the stand he had taken in regard to the filling of prescriptions written by any other than a registered physician. It has been Dr. Irons' purpose to have the State Board of Health adopt a rule carrying out this idea, and the board announced it would consider it next Monday. The letter informed Dr. Irons that he was assuming too much authority and that if he did not heed the warning he would suffer the same fate as that "deserved by the Czar of Russia."

HENEY WILL CONDUCT OREGON LAND FRAUDS

Famous Prosecutor of Grafters Given Some More Work by Department of Justice.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Francis J. Heney, who, as Assistant District Attorney for this city and county under special appointment by District Attorney William H. Langdon, has had charge of the investigation and prosecution of the municipal bribery graft cases, will leave tonight for Portland on business connected with the Oregon land fraud cases. Mr. Heney, as a specially appointed assistant to United States Attorney-General Bonaparte, in conjunction with Special Secret Service Agent William J. Burns, worked up and successfully prosecuted the principals in the land fraud cases. A number of trials were still pending when Heney and Burns came to San Francisco to take up the graft investigation, and the failure of United States Attorney Bristol to properly prosecute them has been assigned as the reason for the withdrawal of the latter's reappearance.

Mr. Heney will go to Portland to look into the present status of the cases still pending, and will then go to Washington to confer with the Department of Justice. The famous prosecutor stated to the Associated Press that he expected to return to San Francisco in time to take charge of the trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railways, against whom fourteen indictments were returned for offering to bribe Supervisors, which is set for February 1.

Mr. Heney denied that there was any truth in the rumor that he was to be appointed United States attorney for the Oregon district.

ABUNDANT PROVISION FOR TEACHERS AT PROVO

Preston D. Richards, principal of Sugar and Forest Dale schools in the Granite district, has just returned from Provo, where he went, together with a committee appointed by his superintendent to find out what arrangements could be made for the accommodation of eighty-five teachers from the Granite district during the State institute of January 1, 2 and 3.

Mr. Richards reports that he believes the people of Provo will easily accommodate 1000 people. He states that they are throwing open their homes, and that people who never accepted roomers or boarders before are making arrangements to care for the teachers. Superintendent Rawlins of Provo is chairman of the entertainment committee, and Mr. Richards reports that Superintendent Rawlins has done everything possible toward getting accommodations for the teachers and is working with a perfectly organized committee.

Powers Trial Postponed.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Dec. 14.—On account of the illness of Commonwealth Attorney Franklin, the trial of Caleb Powers for alleged complicity in the murder of Gov. William Goebel was today postponed until Monday.

Broken Heart Worth \$8000.

DES MOINES, Dec. 14.—A jury today awarded judgment of \$8000 to Miss Mae Mackenzie, who sued J. B. Gray, a wealthy farmer, for alleged breach of promise. Gray filed notice of appeal.

Nervous, Weak, Run-Down Women

Thousands of Women, Who Suffered For Years, Have Been Restored to Complete Health by Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

Trial Package Free.

Are you nervous, weak, tired, run-down, dispirited, easily exhausted—in other words, do you feel like a dishrag at times? Do you ever have to stop right in the middle of your work to take a rest?



Nearly every woman has these miserable experiences, and many such sufferers seek relief in secret remedies, containing harmful drugs and cheap alcohol. If you are doing this stop it now, before you ruin your health completely. Your condition is bad enough without making it worse.

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Stuart's Calcium Wafers are not a secret remedy. They do not contain harmful drugs, nor do they lose their medicinal power as most liquid medicines do, because these wafers are in tablet or lozenge form, which cannot deteriorate or evaporate.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers contain sulphide of calcium, the strongest blood purifier known; also golden seal, quassa, eu-calyptus, belladonna, and the vegetable alternatives and laxatives. These ingredients will restore the normal action of the bowels, liver and kidneys; invigorate the nervous system and brain; make the pure, healthy blood; drive away that tired, worn-out feeling and make you feel ten years younger.

You can obtain Stuart's Calcium Wafers in any drug store at only fifty cents a box, but if you have any doubts as to the merits of these wonderful calcium wafers, why send us your name and address and we will send you a free sample package, so you can give them a fair trial and convince yourself. Write today. Address: F. A. Stuart Co., 175 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Salt Lake Statistics

Births.
Z. C. Salin, 658 Summit avenue; girl.
Alexander Cowan, Jr., 375 West Sixth South; boy.
William L. Tozer, L. D. S. hospital; boy.

Deaths.
Rosa M. Ingold, 741 West Second North; apoplexy; aged 72.
Baby Duncan, 1075 South Eighth East, infantile trouble; aged 14 days.
John G. Shilds, Park City, cerebro-spinal meningitis; aged 13.
Robert Harrington, 451 Hazel court, gangrene; aged 88.
Mrs. Alice Davis, St. Mark's hospital, exhaustion; aged 70.
Thomas Edgar Dandy, 670 South West Temple, gunshot wound, self-inflicted, aged 25.
Heber C. Jones, 3 Delmar court, paralysis of bowels; aged 59.
Ernest M. Mortenson, 255 East South Temple, oedema of lungs; aged 16 months.

Marriage Licenses.
Sylvanus Sessions of Downey, Ind., and Melvina E. Hall of Bountiful.
Claude F. Hauser and Elizabeth B. G. Farise, both of Salt Lake.
Leslie O. Houghton and Caroline Shirk, both of Salt Lake.
Harry F. Marienthal of Bay City, Mich., and Hattie F. Barnett of Salt Lake.
Dominico Barberi and Jennie Madaline, both of Salt Lake.
Vezgo R. Madden of Salt Lake and Jennie Ashmud of Rosette.

Real Estate Transfers.
Camilla T. Floyd to Growway Parry, lot 11, block 2, Toronto subdivision \$ 1
Ernest Williams et al. to George W. Morgan, W. 14, etc. Ad-lawn subdivision 1
Mary E. Frame to A. E. Anderson, section 12, township 2 south, range 1 west 1,500
Julian F. Smith and wife to Samuel D. Lee, lot 6, block 45, plat B 11,000
Maggie Kelly and husband to Samuel D. Lee, lots 44 and 45, block 2 Archer & Kullak's 2,100
William H. Staker to Joseph T. Phinney, lot 19, block 10, five-acre plat A 6
L. C. Hamilton to H. J. Beavis, lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, 5th Miles & Hamilton subdivision 225
Corra A. Bradley to Delphine Ryka, lots 1, 2, 3 and 8, Popperston place 4,000
A. H. Bervell and wife to N. P. Stathokoe, lot 2, block 62, plat A 310

GIRL OF TENDER YEARS CHARGED WITH CRIME

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 14.—Antoinette Barris, a 16-year-old girl, is under arrest here on a charge of forgery, and it is believed she is the author of "Black Hand" letters which have been threatening residents of this city for some time. The letter which was traced to Antoinette, it is said, was written to a young girl, who has collapsed because of the fright she suffered. Antoinette was arrested for forging the name of a woman who was teaching her dressmaking to a check for \$40, and confessed the forgery.

NEW BATTLESHIP IDAHO MAKES SUCCESSFUL TRIP

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—The battleship Idaho, built at Grampus shipyard in this city, returned today from an official trip at sea off the Delaware breakwater. It was anticipated that the battleship reached a speed of 17.14 knots an hour and that the trial had been successful. The speed contract calls for 17 knots.

Elopes, Then Courts Death.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 14.—While walking along Euclid avenue today, Mrs. E. S. Feurlicht, alias Mrs. Mary Russell of New York, attempted to commit suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. She will probably recover. She is reported to have eloped from New York with a theatrical man.

Mauretania Refloated.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.—The Cunard line steamer Mauretania, which went aground last night in the Mersey, opposite the landing stage, but which was floated early this morning, suffered no injury, and will sail tonight.

Children Perish in Fire.

MONTGOMERY, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Fire early today at Sturgisson destroyed two dwellings and caused the death of three children of O. P. Corbin, superintendent of the Sand mine. The children were: Rachel, aged 16; James, aged 7, and Susan, aged 5.

\$20,000 IN CASH

—OR—

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SAL. SICKLE THE JEWELER

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Our Holiday Show is unquestionably the largest, most attractive, brightest, fairest-priced in the west. We'll be pleased to have you visit the store this week, you'll be glad for the coming, and there's a good welcome awaiting you.

CENTER TABLES A Great Feature of Our Holiday Show Splendid Under-Value Table Special

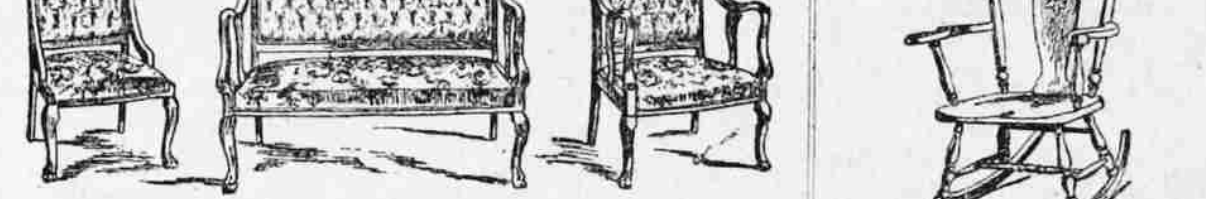
A very attractive and substantial center table. Top measure 20 inches square, pretty turned legs, odd shaped under shelf, nicely finished golden oak, real value \$3.00. Priced for this week—
\$1.65

CHILDREN'S FOLDING TABLES Regular Value \$1.00

Neat little hardwood tables, maple finished, size of top 16x24 inches, stands 16 inches high, well made, priced very special for Monday only—
55 Cents

ALL PARLOR SUITS Go At 1/4 Off

As an example of what this sale means, look at the Parlor Suit illustrated above. These handsome pieces, richly carved mahogany frames, upholstery in finest quality of Velour, and \$57.00 value (nearly like cut) for—
\$32.50



THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF HOLIDAY ROCKERS HERE

A new and very attractive large, solid seat, comfort rocker, high arms, fine panel back, solid oak, extra strong and a very good rocker. Priced regularly at \$7.50. Priced this week—
\$4.25

P. W. MADSEN'S FURNITURE AND CARPET STORE

CASH OR CREDIT 51 to 57 E. FIRST SOUTH Open Evenings Until Xmas

Hale and Happy at 101



MRS. MARY E. CURTIS.

Mrs. Mary E. Curtis of Farley, Iowa, who is 101 years old, hale and happy, praises Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for building her system up and driving out the pains in her back after many other medicines had failed to give her relief.

Mrs. Curtis says that with the help of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey she hopes to live many happy years yet.

Mrs. Curtis recommends Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as a tonic stimulant for both young and old.

"I have had a great deal of trouble with pains in my back, which the doctors told me was kidney disease. I doctored for a long time, but found no relief. I finally was induced to get a bottle of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. It did me good from the start. The pains in my back are gone and I feel as well as ever. It has done more for me than all the other medicine I have ever taken, and I cannot say too much in praise of it. I am 101 years of age and have never had anything to help me so quickly and continue to keep me so strong and well as your valuable whiskey. My heart action has been strengthened and my energy built up. I feel now as if, with the aid of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, I can live in happiness for many more years."

"I feel it my duty to write my thanks for the good Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has done me, and I hope you will publish my letter for the benefit of old people who wish to become strong and vigorous, and for young people who wish to continue in good health and spirits."—Mrs. Mary E. Curtis, Farley, Iowa, August 15, 1907.

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CAUTION—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold only in sealed bottles; never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark "Old Chemist" on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Price \$1.00. Illustrated medical booklet and doctor's advice free. Duffy's Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.